Improving the World’s Conditions

If you were to set up goals for the world to improve conditions for the world’s people, what goals would you choose?

1. Poverty

2. War

3. Global Warming

4. Education

5. Disease

Go to [The Millennium Development Goals](http://www.un.org/millenniumgoals/) agreed upon by all member countries in 2000.

Copy and paste 3 of the goals/ targets here:

### 1) [Integrate the principles of sustainable development into country policies and programmes and reverse the loss of environmental resources](http://www.un.org/millenniumgoals/pdf/MDG%20Report%202010%20En%20r15%20-low%20res%2020100615%20-.pdf#page=54)

### 2)[Have halted by 2015 and begun to reverse the incidence of malaria and other major diseases](http://www.un.org/millenniumgoals/pdf/MDG%20Report%202010%20En%20r15%20-low%20res%2020100615%20-.pdf#page=48)

### 3) [Halve, between 1990 and 2015, the proportion of people who suffer from hunger](http://www.un.org/millenniumgoals/pdf/MDG%20Report%202010%20En%20r15%20-low%20res%2020100615%20-.pdf#page=13)

How do your goals compare with this list? Whose are harder goals? Why would this be?

\_\_My goal is not as detailed and their goals are more short- term \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Read [Appendix C](http://www.pbs.org/newshour/extra/teachers/lessonplans/world/jan-june09/slums_appendix_c.pdf) about how India is doing on the Millennium Development Goals.

How is India progressing toward their goals?

\_\_\_No because over 80 million people live in the urban slums of India this is larger than Egypt’s population\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_